

**- Hall's 'How To' Guide Will Allow Citizens and Organizations to Search Legislation, Find Funding Sources -** Washington, D.C. - With the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act poised to save or create over 215,000 jobs in New York, U.S. Rep. John Hall (D-NY19) published a comprehensive Economic Recovery Guide today to help Hudson Valley communities, schools, businesses and families easily identify and access the local funding opportunities this \$787 billion package provides.

"The economic recovery package is the first step to stabilize our economy and get it growing again," said Congressman Hall. "I created this guide as a 'how-to' for local communities to access the unprecedented amount of funding opportunities in the economic recovery package."

Hall's Recovery Guide includes a detailed and searchable outline of:

- How federal recovery dollars are allocated by government agencies
- Each agency's programs and eligibility standards
- The mission these programs intend to accomplish
- How to apply for funding

Hall's Economic Recovery Guide and other helpful information can be found on his website, <http://johnhall.house.gov/recovery.asp>, or by contacting his offices in New York or Washington.

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